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Dear Sirs,

British Patent Application No. 78 43594
Serial No. 2 012 554
Your Ref: PM706
Our File: 22152

We thank you for your letter of the 14th December, 1979 asking us to pay the examination fee in this case.

We have previously corresponded on the possibility of amendment of this application, but in our letter of 5th March suggested that we should defer amendment until the examination stage. The question now arises as to whether we should present amended Claims for examination or await the Examiner's reaction to the existing Claims. There are also the French references cited in the most recent US Action to be considered.

If time permits, we will talk to Mrs. Hutcheson about this case on her visit to London next week, but in any event we will pay the examination fee by the due date.

Yours faithfully,

Amber

Did you
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We have agreed to not file the examination
fee in the above application
see attached Telex.

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